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Honorable James H. Welsh, Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Fowler Sand, Hill Sand, Upper Hill Sand, Gardner Sand, Hosston L Sand, Hosston Formation, 7990' Hosston Sand, & 8120' Hosston Sand Simsboro Field Lincoln Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of NADEL & GUSSMAN – JETTA OPERATING CO., (Applicant), to the Commissioner of Conservation for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Fowler Sand, Hill Sand, Upper Hill Sand, Garner Sand, Hosston L Sand, Hosston Formation, 7990' Hosston Sand and the 8120' Hosston Sand, Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize a unit well for FWL SUG and HILL SUG, at the location shown on the attached plat and made a hereto, in exception to the spacing provisions of Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951;
- 2. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize a substitute unit well for the U Hill SUB, GARD SUI, HOSS L SU23, HOSS SU23, 7990' HOSS RA SUB and the 8120' HOSS RA SUE, at the location shown on the attached plat, in exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951;
- 3. To find that the proposed unit and substitute unit wells are necessary to drain a portion of each abovesaid sand, zones, formations and reservoirs in the Simsboro Field underlying the respective units referenced above, which cannot be drained by any existing well in such units;

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- 4. To redefine the Hosston Formation in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana. INSOFAR AND ONLY INSOFAR AS TO HOSS SU25, as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the depths of 6480 feet and 9610 feet (electric log measurements) in the Tensas Delta Expl. Co., LLC Freudendorf, etal No. 2 Well, located in Section 14, Township 14 North, Range 4 West, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, LESS AND EXCEPT, the Gardner and Hosston L as defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222, the 7990' Hosston Sand as defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 29-L, and the 8120' Hosston Sand as defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222-K;
- 5. To permit the downhole combination of abovesaid sands, formations, and reservoirs in the well bore of any well located in FWL SUG, HILL SUG, U HILL SUB, GARD SUI, HOSS L SU23, HOSS SU25, 7990' HOSS RA SUA and 8120' HOSS RA SUE;
- 6. To consider and cover such other matters, as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem pertinent and appropriate.

The Fowler Sand, Hill Sand, Gardner Sand and the Hosston L Sand in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951.

The Hosston Formation in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222-1, effective September 1, 1957, but shall be redefined as set forth hereinabove INSOFAR AND ONLY INSOFAR AS TO HOSS SU25.

The 7990' Hosston Sand in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222-L, effective February 9, 1983.

The 8120' Hosston Sand in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222-K, effective February 9, 1983.

The pertinent data pertaining to this application is available for inspection at the Offices of Bob F. Anderson, PE, Inc., 400 Travis Street, Suite 209, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Bob Anderson 318/425-4230 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data that is otherwise not available from the Office of Conservation can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

A pre-application notice was sent to all parties stating a time and date for a conference to discuss he application, however, no request for a conference was received, therefore no conference was held.

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Pursuant to the revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this application is being sent. A copy of this letter, plat and the list of Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District Office of Conservation and a copy of the letter and plat is being sent to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and the Interested Parties as shown on the attached list.

Our check, made payable to the Office of Conservation, is attached to cover the applicable hearing fee.

Yours truly,

B. F. Anderson, PE for

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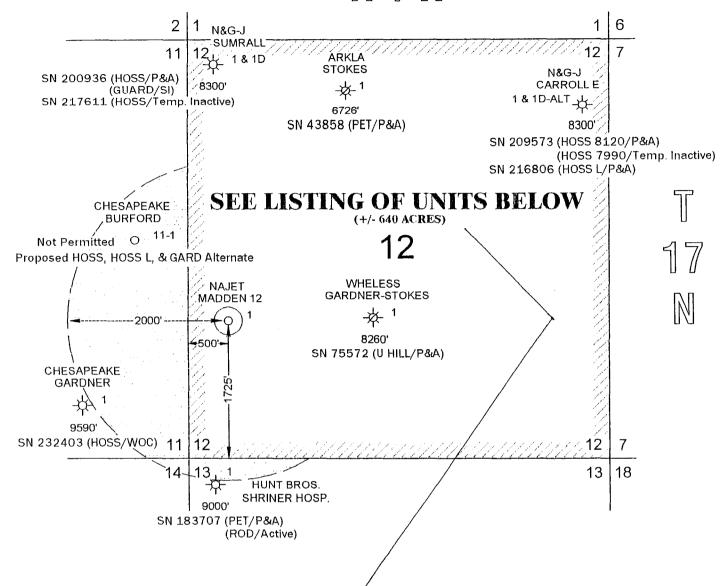
NADEL & GUSSMAN – JETTA OPERATING CO.

cc: Mr. James Broussard, District Manager Shreveport District Office of Conservation Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

Mr. Joe Glazner, Nadel & Gussman – Jetta Operating Co.

Mr. Joe Anderson, Nadel & Gussman- Jetta Operating Co.

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LISTING OF APPROVED UNITS

THE MADDEN 12 #1 IS A PROPOSED UNIT WELL AT AN EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION FOR THE FOLLOWING UNITS OUTLINE ABOVE:

FWL SUG AND HILL SUG

THE MADDEN 12 #1 IS A PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE UNIT WELL AT AN EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION FOR THE FOLLOWING UNITS OUTLINE ABOVE:

U HILL SUB, GARD SUI, HOSS L SU23, HOSS SU25, 7990' HOSS SUB, AND 8120' HOSS SUE

0' 500' 1000' 2000' 2640'

NADEL & GUSSMAN - JETTA OPER. CO.

SIMSBORO FIELD

LINCOLN PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT WELLS AND SUBSTITUTE UNIT WELLS

AT AN EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION

DOCKET NO. 06-

EXHIBIT NO.1